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RESPONSE TO ELECTION/RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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SIR:

In response to the October 6, 2005 Election/Restriction Requirement, applicants hereby elect, without traverse, to prosecute the claims of Group II, i.e. claims 30-57. Applicants reserve the right to prosecute the non-elected claims 1-29 by way of a divisional application.

It is believed that no fees or charges are required at this time in connection with the present application; however, if any fees or charges are required at this time, they may be charged to our Patent and Trademark Office Deposit Account No. 03-2412.

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